

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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SEVENTY-SEVENTH LEGISLATURE

SENATE

NO. 212

In Senate, Feb. 26, 1915.

Reported by Sen. Walker from Committee on Education and ordered printed under joint rules.

W. E. LAWRY, Secretary.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND NINE
HUNDRED AND FIFTEEN

AN ACT to amend section seventeen of chapter fifteen of the Revised Statutes as amended by chapter twenty-nine of the Public Laws of nineteen hundred nine relating to the number of weeks that schools shall be maintained annually.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

Section 17 of chapter 15 of the revised statutes as amended 2 by chapter 29 of the public laws of nineteen hundred nine 3 is hereby further amended by striking out the word "twen- 4 ty-six" in the fifth line thereof and inserting in place thereof 5 the word 'thirty,' so that said section when amended shall 6 read as follows:

'Sect. 17. The school moneys of every town shall be so 8 expended as to give as nearly as practicable the same ag-

9 gregate annual length of terms in all its schools, and every
10 town shall make provision for the maintenance of all its
11 schools for not less than thirty weeks annually. Any town
12 failing to maintain its schools as provided in this section,
13 shall be debarred from drawing its state school moneys till
14 it shall have made suitable provisions for so maintaining
15 them thereafter.'